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DEVELOPMENT OF MEDICAL PROGRAMME BY IGNOU
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) is developing some medical programme in collaboration with the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR);

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) has been signed between IGNOU and ICMR;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the steps taken to implement such programme ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) to (e) Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) and Indian Council of Medical Research ICMR) have entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) only on 12.4.2007 to : develop medical education and training in such areas as identified and agreed to mutually from time to time; establish a network of centers; share academic and technological experience; and joint development of implementation strategies and action plan etc.